



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: S. L. Brase
Hidehiko KINOSHITA)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2852
Application No.: 10/642,700)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 2738
Filed: August 19, 2003)	
	:	Allowed: January 26, 2004
For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS)	
AND METHOD, SEMICONDUCTOR	:	April 22, 2004
MANUFACTURING APPARATUS,)	
AND MICROSTRUCTURE	:	

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on August 19, 2003, in compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed PTO-1449 form. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

Applicant requests that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed PTO-1449 form be initialed and returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'L. Stahl', written over a horizontal line.

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	2-138074	05/28/1990	Japan			Abstract
	3-97372	04/23/1991	Japan			Abstract
	8-107476	04/23/1996	Japan			Abstract

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